

Presenting Odd Fellowship

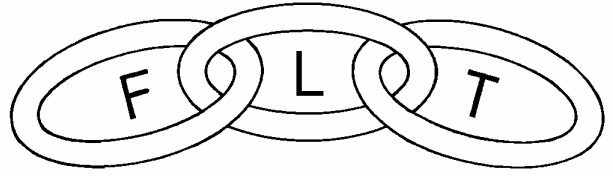
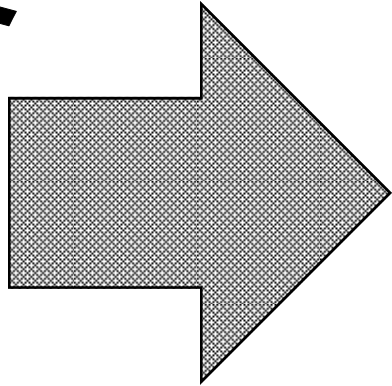
Lodge No. _____

Independent Order of Odd Fellows

to

Sponsored by _____

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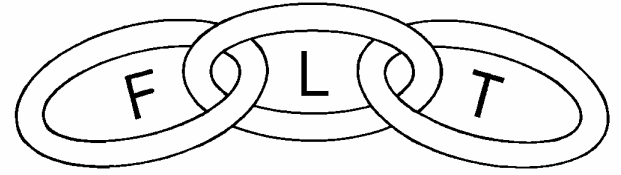
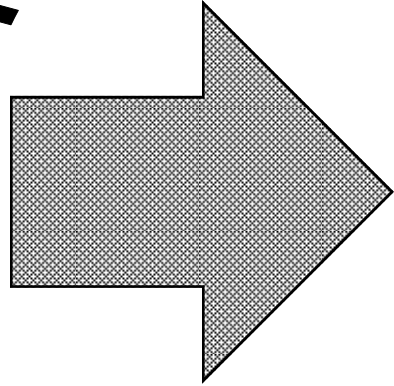


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Family

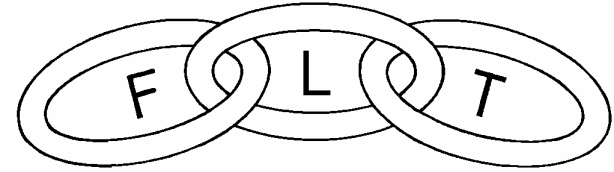
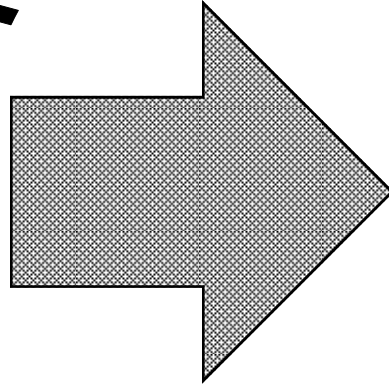
Fraternity

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Striving to
make the
world a better
place in
which to live.

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Motto

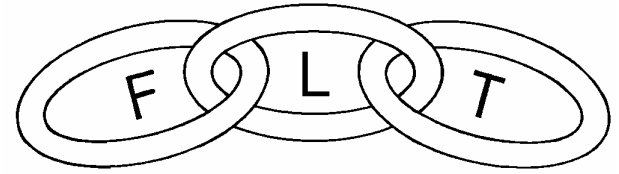
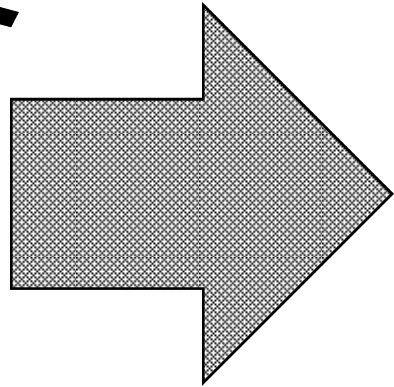
Friendship, Love and Truth

The Three Links

The Emblem of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The emblem of Odd Fellowship is the Three Links with the letters 'F, L & T'. The three links symbolizes the chain that binds our members together and illustrates that a fraternity is strongest when joined together. The 'F' in the first link represents 'friendship', the strongest bond of fraternity that teaches goodwill and harmony. The 'L' represents 'love', the basis for all life's ambitions, service to others and family. The 'T' represents 'truth', the standard by which we value people and the foundation of our society.

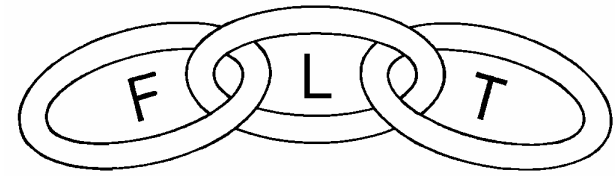
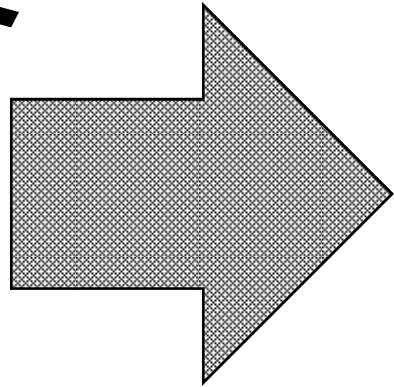
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Object

To improve
and elevate
the character
of mankind

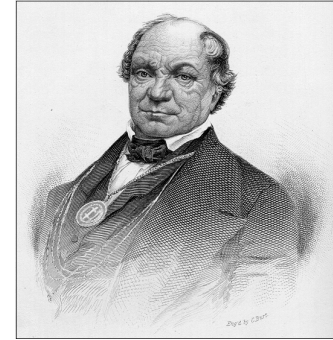
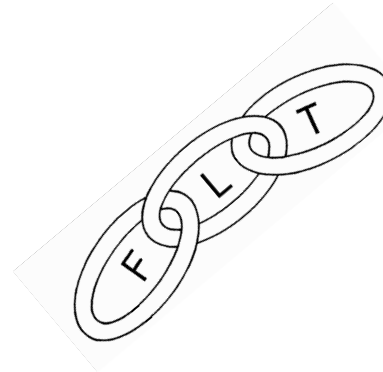
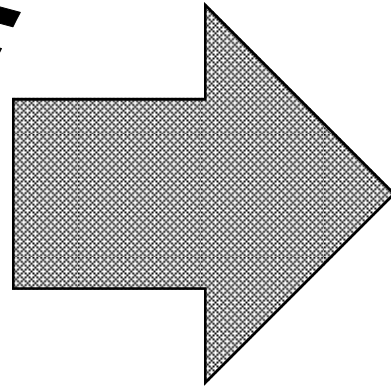
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How did the name originate?

The name itself signifies something different, out of the ordinary, and unmatched. It was originally given to those unusual people who believed in helping others.

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Where did it originate?

The origin is shrouded in the mist of antiquity

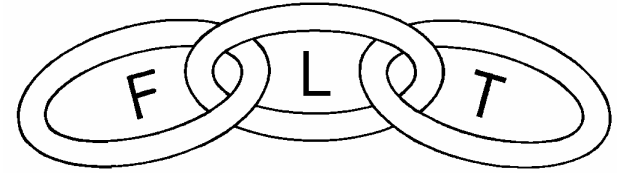
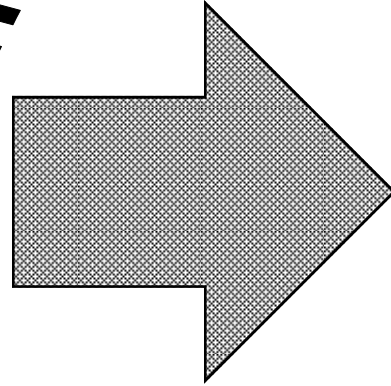
Thomas Willey founded Odd Fellowship on the North American Continent in 1819 at Baltimore, Maryland

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**Commands of the Order adopted are:**

- Visit the Sick
- Relieve the Distressed
- Bury the Dead
- Educate the Orphan

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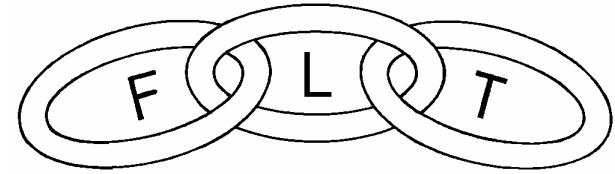
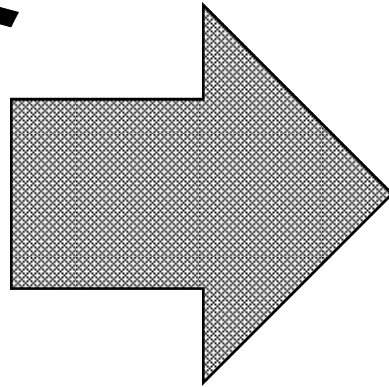
A World Wide Fraternity



Over 1/4 million members

In twenty-six countries: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Canada, Czech Republic, Chile, Cuba, Denmark, England, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Mexico, Netherlands, The, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United States of America, Uruguay, Venezuela

# Odd Fellowship



## A Family Fraternity

Odd Fellows Lodge

for men and women –

Brothers & Sisters

Rebekah Lodge

for women and men –

Sisters and Brothers

Junior Odd Fellows Lodge

for boys – 8-21 — Brothers

Theta Rho Girls' Club

for girls 8-21 — members

United Youth Group

for boys and girls 8-21

Also:

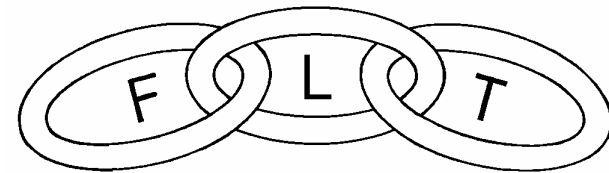
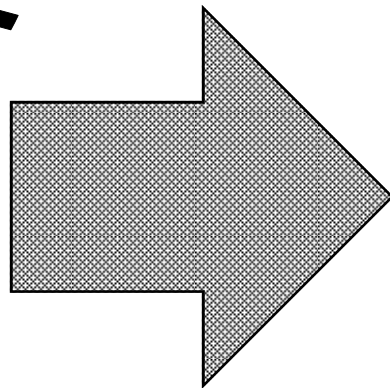
Encampment –

Patriarchs and Matriarchs

Canton – Patriarchs Militant –

Chevaliers and Ladies

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What will Odd Fellowship do for you?

It Provides

Leadership Training

A more purposeful life

Enduring Friendships

Community activity participation

A broadening of your mind

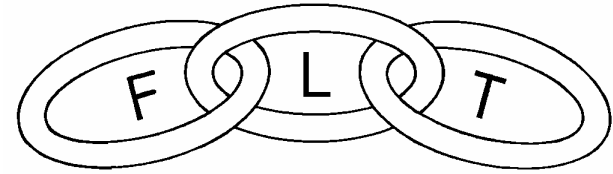
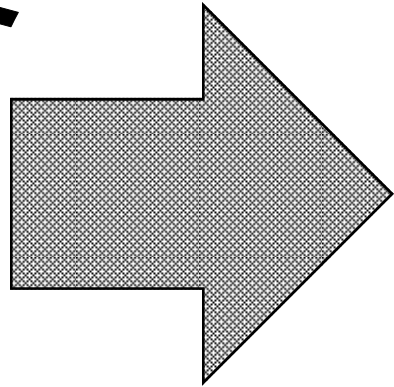
Opportunities to help children, the elderly and people of in between ages

Good fellowship

An inner satisfaction that money cannot buy

A warm welcome in strange cities and distant lands

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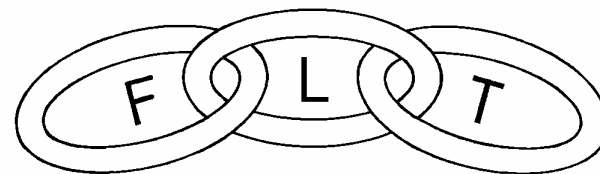
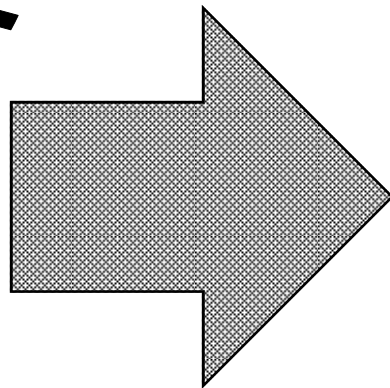


Do you Qualify?

You must believe in a  
Supreme Being

You must be of  
good character

# Odd Fellowship



The application fee for membership is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Dues Are: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Membership includes:

Fellowship around the world



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